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Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Air Line Pilots Association, representing the safety interests of 62,000 pilots flying for 42 airlines, has reviewed the subject Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

We have no recommendations for improvement and concur with the NPRM as written.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

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